

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title	:	<b>Mail Stop Amendment</b>
MICROPHONE DEVICE AND AUDIO PLAYER		

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of March 20, 2008, please consider these remarks for the above-referenced U.S. patent application as follows: